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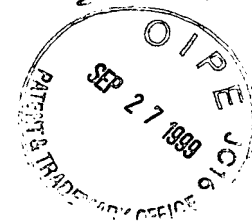
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Martin A. Cheever and Mary L. Disis  
Application No. : 09/088,951  
Filed : June 2, 1998  
For : METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS TO GENERATE  
IMMUNITY IN HUMANS AGAINST SELF TUMOR  
ANTIGENS BY IMMUNIZATION WITH HOMOLOGOUS  
FOREIGN PROTEINS

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner:

In the Office Action dated July 21, 1999, Applicants were requested to make a species election in order for the Patent and Trademark Office to initiate examination. Applicants hereby elect: prostatic acid phosphatase ("PAP"). Claims 1, 7, 8, and 11-12 (in part) read on PAP.

An Information Disclosure Statement will be forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,  
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